

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RURAL DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

STARRED QUESTION NO:323

ANSWERED ON:14.08.2001

PROJECTS UNDER PRIME MINISTER GRAM SADAK YOJANA

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Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Members of Parliament have been asking for the allocation of road projects worth three crore rupees in a Constituency under the Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana Project from this year; and

(b) if so, the steps taken to finalise the plan of action in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. VENKAIAH NAIDU)

(a) & (b): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

The Statement referred to in reply to Lok Sabha Starred Question No. 323 admitted for Answer on 14/8/2001 regarding projects under Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana.

A recommendation of the Committee on Members of Parliament Local Area Development Scheme (MPLADS) has been forwarded to the Ministry of Rural Development indicating, in addition to the present dispensation of allocation of Rs.2.00 crores under the MPLADS, each Member of Parliament (Lok Sabha) may be entitled to recommend construction of rural roads to the extent of Rs.2.00 crores per annum in their respective constituencies under the Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana.

2. The matter is receiving attention.